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SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S VISIT TO MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH
AFRICA

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IN ABSENCE OF FOREIGN MINISTER MASMOUDI, HIS CHEF
DE CABINET, HASSEN FODHA, CALLED ME TO HIS OFFICE
THIS MORNING, NOVEMBER 2. AFTER ECHOING PRIME MINISTER'S
APPEAL THAT KISSINGER VISIT TUNIS (REFTEL), FODHA SAID
THAT HE HAD TALKED LAST NIGHT BY TELEPHONE WITH FOREIGN
MINISTER MASMOUDI, WHO IN CAIRO. ACCORDING TO FODHA,
MASMOUDI HAS BEEN IN CONTACT WITH PALESTINIAN LEADERS AND
CLAIMS HE HAS CONSTRUCTIVE THINGS TO REPORT RE CURRENT
PALESTINIAN ATTITUDES. THUS, CONTINUED FODHA,
ADDITIONAL UTILITY OF SECRETARY KISSINGER'S STOPPING IN
TUNIS WOULD BE TO LEARN FIRSTHAND FROM MASMOUDI RESULTS
THESE DISCUSSIONS.
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